

### Fontie Mahannah, Lt. Smith Speak Vows in Lovely Rite

Nearly a hundred white candles set in wrought-iron holders lit the flower-decked interior of Christ Church Cranbrook Monday evening when Fontie Clare Mahannah became the bride of Lt. Joseph Lawrence Smith, of the Quartermaster Corps of the U. S. Army. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Robert L. De Witt.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clare Mahannah, of Green Lake, formerly of Memphis, Tenn., and London, Eng. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Rue Thompson, of Los Angeles, and Lawrence P. Smith, of Foxcroft.

The bridal gown was of soft ivory duchess satin with a fitted beque of lace trimmed in a row

### Jeanne McKinney Tells Engagement



Miss McKinney

A shower of tiered maine veiling fell from a sated pearl tiara with panels of delicate Brussels lace inserted down the back. The bride carried a cascade bouquet of white orchids, white hyacinths, and daisies with sprays of roses. As something old, she carried a Brasilia lace handkerchief that her mother had carried at her wedding.

Mrs. Thomas Nichols, of Los Angeles, sister of the bridegroom, was matron of honor; Anne Goldbold, of Memphis; Barbara Smith, of Bloomfield; Mrs. Fred G. Hoagland, formerly of Memphis, now of Plymouth, and Helen Hodgson of Detroit, formerly of London, Eng., were bridesmaids.

### Community Council Meets Next Week

The Birmingham Community Council will hold its annual business meeting on Friday, Jan. 29, the delegates meeting at the Community House at 10:30 a. m. Annual reports will be presented and new members will be elected to the executive board. The board, later, will name the officers. Mrs. Earle H. Cunningham was president during the past year.

### Noel M. Dwelley To Wed Saturday In Knoxville, Tenn.

Noel Merrian Dwelley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Merrian Dwelley, of Southfield road, will become the bride of William Brooks Richards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Granville Richards, of Knoxville, at a ceremony in the St. James Episcopal Church of Knoxville on Jan. 23.

Mrs. James H. Hodges, Jr., formerly Carl Dwelley, will be her sister's matron of honor and her daughter, Jeanne Marion, of C. Arthur Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Miller, of Knox street, Jeanne is the daughter of Mrs. McKinney and the late F. H. McKinney. She attended Kinrosswood school, De Pauw University and Lutz Beach Junior College. Arthur is attending Lawrence Tech but is going into the service the end of this month.

### Milk From Breweries

In early days of the United States in large cities milk production was part of the business of distilleries and breweries. A few cows were fed the mash left from whiskey and beer making. Their milk was sold in the neighborhood.

### Marie Russell Tells Wedding Plan

Friday, Jan. 29, is the date chosen by Marie Russell and her fiance, Richard, Pvt. Bridges, will be Mr. Richards' best man.

A reception will be held at the home of Major and Mrs. Alvin K. Hodges, Jr. in Knoxville. The couple plans to live in the home formerly occupied by Mrs. Hodges, Jr. in Knoxville. Mrs. Hodges, whose husband is in the service, will return to Birmingham to make her home with her parents.

### Girls to Attend Cornell Party

Men students attending Cornell University know that they will soon be serving with the Army and that the days of bang-up fraternity house parties are over. So they decided to have one last fling. The traditional fraternity house party with practically all the well-known trimmings will be held next week. The girls will arrive sometime after Wednesday and return home on Sunday.

### SALESMEN'S EXTRA GAS

Salesmen distributing essential commodities—other than those in the Eastern States and the District of Columbia—will be allowed additional mileage, under OPA's new regulation governing gasoline rationing, at the request of Rubber Director William Jeffers. Qualified salesmen will get up to 46 percent of their last year's mileage, or 8,000 miles a year, whichever is less.

### Shirley M. Smith, Pvt. J. J. Bickford Married in Texas

Shirley M. Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Smith, of Pierce street, and Pvt. James J. Bickford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Bickford, of Forest avenue, were married Tuesday evening at the Trinity Church in Galveston, Tex.

The bride wore a simple dress of navy blue crepe trimmed in white with a pale blue flower hat and a shoulder corsage of white orchids.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith accompanied their daughter to Texas when she left last Saturday. Mrs. Smith chose a black dress with pink accessories and wore pink camellias for her daughter's wedding.

Pvt. Bickford has a 12-day furlough before he reports to active duty and the couple will spend their honeymoon in Texas, after which the bride will return to Birmingham to make her home with her parents.

Mrs. Bickford attended Michigan State College and Wayne University. Pvt. Bickford attended Lawrence Tech and is stationed with the Army Air Force at Victoria, Tex.

### Club Notes

Past Matron's Club of the O. E. S. The Past Matron's Club met at the home of Mrs. Winifred Burkman of Beyer street, for annual election of officers.

Officers elected were Mrs. Pearl Taylor, as president; Mrs. Alice Bailey, as vice-president; Mrs. James Peters, as secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Winifred Burkman, as publicity chairman; Mrs. Melvin Uplieger, as flower chairman.

Following the meeting, the "cherry sisters" were reveiled and tea was served. The next meeting will take place with the new president presiding.

Girl's Interest Group of Embury Methodist Church The Girl's Interest Group of the Embury Methodist Church for all girls from 12 years to 20 years will be held at the home of Mrs. P. J. Parkin, Jan. 27, at 7:30.

O.E.S. Tomorrow, the O.E.S. will hold a benefit card party at the Masonic Temple beginning at 8 o'clock. All proceeds will go to the new Relief Fund.

Wednesday, Jan. 27, the O.E.S. will hold its annual birthday party.

### Several Parties Precede Dance

Many cocktail parties are preceding the Saturday night dance club that will be held at the Community House at 9:30.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Staley are having a few friends at their home on Townsend street.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Looftrow, of Fairfax avenue, will entertain many of their fellow members at a cocktail party. Guests will include Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Strother, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Garrison, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Chesbro, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Huebner, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nannely, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Nunnely, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Skinner.

More guests are Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bell, Mrs. and Mrs. R. Rathbone, Mr. and Mrs. H. Phillip Preza, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cousins, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Worley, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Bauer, and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Robertson.

William Grooms for a chicken and ham supper planned by the committee in charge.

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